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C O N F I D E N T I A L JAKARTA 13425

LIMDIS

PARIS FOR NESCO

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORG OCON UNESCO

SUBJECT: UNESCO 18TH GC: ARAB RESOLUTION RE JERUSALEM  
EXCAVATIONS

REFS: A. STATE 240797 B. STATE 241036

1. IN MEETING NOVEMBER 4 WITH SJARIF THAJEB,  
CHIEF OF INDONESIAN UNESCO DEL AND MINISTER OF  
EDUCATION, AMBASSADOR SAID HE WISHED TO ASK ON  
BASIS INSTRUCTIONS FOR URGENT RECONSIDERATION OF  
GOI POSITION TOWARD DRAFT RESOLUTION ON ISRAELI  
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EXCAVATIONS IN JERUSALEM (REFTELS). HE EXPLAINED

USG DOES NOT CONSIDER CALL FOR SANCTIONS JUSTIFIED BY MERITS OF CASE AND NOTED REPRESENTATIVE OF UNESCO'S DIRGEN HAD GIVEN ISRAEL FAIRLY GOOD MARKS ON THIS ISSUE.

2. MOREOVER, AMBASSADOR ADDED, FEELING ON THIS ISSUE AMONG US PUBLIC AND CONGRESS SO STRONG THAT CALL FOR SANCTIONS COULD WELL HAVE EFFECT OF CUTTING INTO US FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR UNESCO.

3. AMBASSADOR URGED THAT GOI CONSIDER ALTERNATIVES LESS EXTREME THAN CALL FOR SANCTIONS IF, AFTER RECONSIDERATION OF POSITION, GOI CONTINUES TO FEEL IT NECESSARY FOCUS WORLD ATTENTION ON ISRAELI ACTIONS IN JERUSALEM.

4. THAJEB SAID MATTER WOULD BE LOOKED INTO PROMPTLY BUT MADE NO OTHER COMMENT EXCEPT TO ASK IF SOVIETS ARE IMPORTANT FORCE BEHIND SANCTIONS DRAFT RES.

5. WE HAVE ASKED FOR APPOINTMENT AT FORDEPT (WHICH SHARES RESPONSIBILITY FOR UNESCO MATTERS WITH DEPT OF EDUCATION) TO MAKE PARALLEL APPROACH.  
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